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One of the worst breaks made by Governor Wilson is the pardoning of Adjutant General Johnson for committing an assault upon Denny B. Goode, a Louisville newspaper man. The general, like many other highfliers in Kentucky, seemed to think that the newspapers had no right to criticize his official actions. The trouble in Kentucky is that the newspapers do not show up more fore-flushers, but, if the laws and officials do not protect the quill-drivers from vicious and unwarranted assault, an editor will almost take his life into his own hands when he attempts to show up the shortcomings of anyone. If an officer doesn't want his official acts criticized, he should resign, or, better still, do nothing to cause criticism.

The all-absorbing problem with the average fellow today is how and where to live next year—whether to rent a house or board. In most towns, houses are scarce and rent so inflated that many of our poor workers seriously contemplate living in tents. The latter would prove a trifle chilly, its true, but one would feel more at home than in a crowded boarding house. Beside, a man's boarding house of old age is apt to go lame when he bumps against boarding-house poultry and eggs.

The Kentucky newspaper men are having their spade-tails pressed and making other preparations for the splendid entertainment to be given them by the good people of Lexington next week. A feature of the meeting will be the dinner to be given in their honor, at which the Hon. James H. Mulligan will preside as toastmaster.

"When a girl jilts a young man he is apt to do something desperate, such as take a drink or marry another girl," says the Bowling Green Messenger. True, and there are many cases where, when he gets the girl, he afterwards takes the drink and wishes he had married another.

EDITOR WILLIAMS, of Falmouth, has much to say regarding the price of porthouse steak. If Joe can prove that an editor has ever dined on porthouse steak, we move that he be made to do so at the forthcoming meeting of the State Press Association.

The stationery department at the capitol building, Washington, only ordered eighty-three cork screws for the use of the ninety-two senators. Some clerk will now be hailed over the coals for such a great mistake in making out his application for supplies.

The teachers in a Louisville school sold enough peanuts to buy a piano for the institution. If they will devise means of getting rid of the next-door neighbor piano, many suffering citizens will donate all the money the pretty school marm may wish.

A New York woman was crushed to death in Christmas shopping rush. This is a case where the festive newspaper man could truthfully use the stereotyped term, "She passed happily into the Great Beyond."

A New York smoke inspector has been chosen for the city of Louisville. If he is required to inspect the brand coming from the Christmas cigars sent Saturday, he certainly has our sympathy.

A FAMOUS journal says boys are coming in style again. "Good Golly," remarks the Lexington Gazette man, "is a man never to know whether the girl is there or made to order?"

Those thinking of bestowing umbrellas as Christmas gifts upon young ladies should avoid references to filling the stocking.

One of the compensations of being poor is that one need have no fear of his children being kidnapped.

DEATHS

Mr. A. J. Tribble, of this city, received a message from St. Louis, Monday announcing the death of Philip P. Nunnally. The latter was a brother-in-law of Mr. Tribble, and was well-known in this city. The funeral took place at St. Louis Monday afternoon.

Mr. W. J. Biggerstaff died in Lexington Monday night, after a brief illness of Bright's disease. He was in his 65th year. Mr. Biggerstaff was a citizen of Madison county and one of its most prominent and influential men. As we go to press details of his death and arrangements for the funeral had not been obtained. He was an uncle of Mr. D. C. Biggerstaff and widely connected.

PERSONALS

Miss Belle Bennett has returned from Louisville.

Mrs. Jas. Crutcher has been visiting in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scanlan were in Cincinnati last week.

J. W. Smith, of Lancaster, was a visitor in this city Sunday.

Hon. S. Tevis Cobb has returned from a business trip to Arkansas.

Miss Mattie Tribble has returned from a visit to friends in Lexington.

Miss Julia Higgins will be hostess of the Cecilian Club this afternoon.

Miss Carrie Anderson, of Lancaster, is attending the Normal School.

Miss Nina Dickey, of Covington, will spend Christmas with her mother here.

Mrs. D. M. Lackey, of Lancaster, is visiting Mrs. Mac Miller, on Main St.

Mr. Robert McCreary has returned to Chicago after a few days visit in this city.

Mr. J. M. Bronston has returned from several days visit to relatives in Lexington.

Miss Emma DeJarnette is in Crab Orchard visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Willis.

Miss Maggie Shugars, of Lancaster, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jonas Rucker.

L. B. Weisenburg Jr., wife and little son, left this week for Florida to spend a month.

Mrs. O. E. Vollenwider, of McArthur, O., comes today to visit her sister, Mrs. Elmer Deatherage.

Mrs. Bronaugh, and daughter, Mrs. Jack Russell, of Nicholasville, have been recent guests here.

Mrs. Clarence Elmore, of Covington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Juet, during Christmas.

Miss Emma Watts, who is attending Vassar College will spend the holidays with her parents in Richmond.

Miss Althea Marksbury, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Louis Landram, returned to Lancaster Monday.

A handsome little son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Bush, Monday. He has been christened Allen H.

Miss Mary Cullen leaves today for Lexington to attend the wedding of Miss Nancy Stevenson and Mr. North.

Miss Ann White, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Geoffrey Morgan, has returned to her home in Nicholasville.

Miss Eleanor Cheenalt was in Lexington last week to attend the banquet given by the Kentucky Club, of Hollins Institute.

Mr. Henry Pickles, of the Register, who has been here for ten days, has, we are glad to note, improved and is able to be out again.

The exercises at Knights Templar Christmas Observance began promptly at eleven o'clock. Sir Knights will report, in dress uniform, at 10:30.

Miss Minnie Zittle and nephew, Monroe Lackey McKinney, have gone to Huntington, W. Va., to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. T. C. Lowry.

The second of the series of winter Germans will be danced at Masonic Temple Friday evening. Slat. Smittie's harp orchestra, of Cincinnati, will furnish the music. Mr. Caswell Tribble will lead.

Lancaster Record: Mr. and Mrs. David Cheenalt have returned to their home in Richmond, after a visit to their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Elmore.

Montgomery and Marti, of Madison Female Institute, at Richmond, have been the recent guests of Miss Stella Hendren, of this county.

The choirs and chorals of a Christmas musical were emphasized from pleasing standpoints by Miss Cary Rice Tuesday afternoon when she was hostess to the Mary Patten Club. The charming rooms were garlanded with holly, mistletoe and red bells and many flowers graced the home. After a delightful program an elegant lunch was served. It was altogether an enjoyable affair.

Diamonds, Watches, Gold and Silverware at Winsor & Whittington.

For Sale.

Horse and lot and 8 acres of land located in Kingston, this county, 7 miles from Richmond. The land is very fertile, with good house, barn and all necessary outbuildings, good fencing and well watered. This is a splendid neighborhood with good school and churches, in a quiet peaceful village.

J. A. Riddell, Kingston, Ky.
D. W. White, Paint Lick, Ky.
Executors Cash Moody.

A Bargain.

Ten White Rock Pullets, these pullets are laying, ciphers incubator, two Brooders. Dining and kitchen tables and chairs, must sell at once.

C. D. MILLER,
225 Glasgow Ave.,
Richmond.

Eczema Readily Cured By a Simple Home Treatment.

A simple case remedy that can be used in the home is what every person desires who is suffering from eczema. You can now have that remedy and get instant relief, and be cured permanently by Zemo, a clean vegetable liquid for external use. ZEMO cures skin diseases by drawing the germs and their poisons, that cause the disease, to the surface of the skin and destroying them, leaving the skin clean and healthy. Perry & Thomas, druggists will give you a booklet and explain to you how a great many cases of eczema and other forms of skin disease have been cured, by this simple home treatment.

FOR RENT for the year 1910 the large Stone Room No. 218 Main St., now occupied by J. S. Stanifer, this has proven to be the best business location in the city.

C. L. BY H. TAYLOR,
Room No. 4, Jno. G. Taylor bldg.,
d-15-17 Telephone 292.

Sheriff's Sale!

By virtue of execution No. 1 directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's Office of the Bourbon County Court in favor of N. C. Fisher an Administrator of Estate of C. C. against J. H. Cheenalt, Lavonia E. Cunningham and Laura Edith Francis, I, one of my deputies, will on

Monday, Jan. 3, 1910
Between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 2 o'clock, p. m., at the Court house, d or in Richmond, Madison county, Ky., expose to public sale, the following described property (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's debt, interest and costs), to-wit: Two hundred and eighty-two and 61/100 dollars, the life-time interest in 30 acres of land, more or less, situated in the Eastern Magisterial District, in Madison county, Ky., and bounded as follows: O. the north by the land of S. H. Noland, on the east by the land of H. H. Colyer, on the south by the Speedwell turnpike and on the west by the land of T. E. Baldwin, varied upon as property of Lavonia E. Cunningham.

TERMS—Sale will be cash in hand.

P. B. BROWN, Sheriff, M. C.

NOTICE

Having purchased the Coal and Feed business of Mr. J. Ballard, on Aspen ave., we use this method to invite our friends and the public for a share of their patronage. We handle the celebrated

Rich Mountain JELICO COAL

which we guarantee to give perfect satisfaction. Give us a trial order and get acquainted with our coal and method of doing business.

For Sale.

A house and lot of 5 acres with all necessary outbuildings and a two-story business house on same.

Mrs. G. D. Jady,
Kirkville, Ky.

Why not give your friend a box of good cigars Xmas? Joe has the finest line in Central Kentucky.

S. H. Thorpe & Co.

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MARRIED.

Harris-Levell.
Dr. J. W. Harris, of this city, and Miss Susie Levell, of Lancaster, were quietly married at the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. Mr. Marshall, Saturday afternoon. The wedding was quite a surprise to the many friends of the doctor, as well as to the wife of the bride. Mrs. Harris has been a frequent visitor to her aunt, Mrs. Terrill, on Glyndon avenue, and made many warm friends in the city who wish her well. Dr. Harris is one of Richmond's most popular physicians, and stands well in the community and is well liked by legions of friends who have been showering him with congratulations. Dr. and Mrs. Harris will be housekeeping in one of his dwellings the first of the year. The climax wishes for them a long life of happiness.

The Kick of Cowards.

Lexington Gazette—The Loyal Legion of Michigan has resolved that it will be an honor to the nation to place the statue of General Robert E. Lee in the Hall of Fame at Washington. This organization is doubtless composed of coffee coolers, camp followers and deserters. It is safe to wager that not one of them ever smelled the powder in battle. They did not fight to maintain the Union in the sixties but are very careful of its honor forty-five years after the close of hostilities. The real veteran of the Civil War has along since buried his animosities and is as willing to have Lee honored as those who fought on his side. Each State is invited to two statues in the Hall of Fame and Virginia should have the right to say who shall occupy those positions, without a suggestion or objection from all the so-called Loyal Legions. Lee's reputation as a soldier and a Christian gentleman is secure, however, whether his statue adorns Statuary Hall or not.

A Valuable Booklet Free

Any person who will call at Perry & Thomas' drug store will be given a little booklet written by an eminent authority. Every family has one or more persons who have eczema, pimples, dandruff, ring worms, tetter, prickly heat, hives or some form of skin or scalp disease. This booklet is written in such a plain, simple manner that any person after a perusal of it can tell what is the matter with them, and can at once proceed to get a simple home treatment that will destroy the germs that cause the disease, and in this way effect a complete cure of any form of skin or scalp disease, d-t-t.

Your Hair Contrary?

Is it inclined to run away? Don't punish it with a cruel brush and comb! Feed it, nourish it, save it with Ayer's Hair Vigor, new improved formula. Then your hair will remain at home, on your head, where it belongs. An elegant dressing. Keeps the scalp healthy.

Does not change the color of the hair.

Formula with each bottle. Ask him about it, then do as he says.

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We certainly believe this, or we would not say so. Ayer's Hair Vigor, as now made from our new improved formula, is a great preparation for the hair and scalp. Stops falling hair. Cures dandruff. Promotes the growth of hair.

Made by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Public Sale

—OF—
City Residence

As executor of the last will of Miss Ann Rowland, and by virtue of an order of the Madison County Court, the undersigned will, on

Friday, Dec. 31, '09,

sell the house recently occupied by Miss Ann Rowland as a residence, situated on the south side of Main street in Richmond, Ky. This property is situated about half way between Court House square and the L. & N. depot. The lot fronts on Main street more than 50 feet and runs back over 200 feet. To be exact, fronts on Main street 32 1/2 feet and runs back 125-100 poles. This residence is in good condition, a portion renting for \$8 per month.

The property will be sold for half cash and the residue payable in 12 months, bearing legal interest from day sale with lien retained. Possession given January 1, 1910, and deed given. Sale at 10 o'clock, a. m.

At the same small lot of personal property consisting of table, bedstead and other household goods will be sold for cash.

JOHN C. CHEENALT, Executor.

Long Tom Cheenalt, Auct., d-15-3

WHEN THE HOLLY BERRIES REDDEN IT IS TIME TO PURCHASE

Xmas Presents

Diamonds
Watches
Jewelry
Cut Glass

Everything to be found in a Jewelry Store. Give us a call before you buy. Our prices are right.

L. E. LANE

219 Main Street
BIG WATCH SIGN

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Shoes, Hats, Caps, Neckwear, Underwear, Collars, Socks, Mufflers, Handkerchiefs, Shirts, Pajamas, Night Shirts, Suit Cases, and Umbrellas

No advance in prices on account of Xmas

Rice & Arnold

ONE PRICE HOUSE

Great Removal SALE

THURSDAY, Dec. 16, to Dec. 29

Here is the best opportunity to buy fresh and correct tailored Suits, Overcoats and Trousers for men and boys that you've had in a long time, or will have again in a long time. This sale embraces every stitch of men's boy's and children's Clothing, Shoes and Furnishings, with the exception of the "Just Right Shoe" which is \$4 straight. It's no closing out sale of undesirable odds and ends, but just the opposite. Includes all our new, fresh Fall and Winter Wearables.

None of These Garments have been the Store More Than Sixty Days

We have lease the store room on the corner of Main and Second Streets, now occupied by J. B. Walker, and will move to it on January 1, 1910, and we take this method of notifying our customers and friends. Its for this reason we are going to hold this removal sale.

We Force Our Stock Down to a Minimum by the Power of Cut Prices

Prices cut low enough to sell the goods. We make prices and prices make business. Every garment marked in plain figures so you may note the regular price and the sale price. EVERY THING GUARANTEED TO BE AS REPRESENTED.

Men's Fine Hand-tailored Suits

Regular \$25.00 now \$19.75

Regular 22.50 now 17.75

Regular 20.00 now 15.25

Regular 15.00 now 11.75

Regular 10.00 now 7.25

Men's Overcoats and Raincoats

Regular \$25.00 now \$19.75

Regular 20.00 now 16.50

Regular 18.00 now 13.50

Regular 15.00 now 11.25

Regular 12.50 now 9.25

Regular 10.00 now 7.25

Men's Trousers

Regular \$6.00 now \$4.50

Regular 5.00 now 3.75

Regular 4.00 now 2.95

Regular 3.50 now 2.75

Regular 3.00 now 2.25

Regular 2.50 now 2.00

Regular 2.00 now 1.65

Duck Brand Overalls

Regular \$1.00 now \$.85

Regular .50 now .39

Hats and Caps

Regular \$5.00 now \$3.95

Regular 4.00 now 3.25

Regular 3.50 now 2.75

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Regular 2.50 now 2.00

Regular 2.00 now 1.50

Regular 1.50 now 1.15

Regular 1.00 now .79

Regular .50 now .39

Regular .25 now .19

Men's Shoes

Regular \$4.00 now \$3.50

Regular 3.50 now 3.19

Regular 3.00 now 2.50

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Boy's Shoes

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